

(c) a support mechanism operably positioned relative to the box erecting apparatus wherein the support mechanism directly contacts and receives the at least one good after the elevator lifts the at least one good to the second position, the support mechanism supporting the at least one good substantially over the top of the elevator lift apparatus as the elevator lift apparatus returns to the its first position to then receive another good to be moved to the second position.

35. (Amended) A method for packaging goods in an open-bottomed container, wherein the open-bottomed container is an open-bottomed cardboard box with four upper flaps, comprising:

- (a) unfolding the open-bottomed cardboard box;
- (b) holding the unfolded open-bottomed cardboard box above an elevator lift apparatus;
- (c) activating the elevator lift apparatus to raise an at least one good into the open-bottomed cardboard box, the elevator lift apparatus moving from a first position to a second position;
- (d) retracting the elevator lift apparatus;
- (e) supporting the at least one good via direct contact between a support member and the at least one good in a position substantially over the top of the elevator lift apparatus while the elevator lift apparatus returns to the first position to then receive at least another good to be moved to the second position; and
- (f) folding the four upper flaps of the open-bottomed cardboard box.

Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the specification and claims by the current amendment. The attached page is captioned "**Marked-up Version Showing Changes.**"